

## TO BE MODERNIZED



A view of the Narberth Public School, plans for whose complete remodeling and modernization were announced this week by Kenneth L. M. Pray, President of the Borough School Board.

## Contributions of Negro to American Life Discussed by Speaker At Community Service

In the pulpit of the Narberth Methodist Church stood a colored man. In modulated tones, with humor and intelligence, he outlined some of the negro's contributions to American life, stressing in particular negro poets and poetry.

He was James Weldon Johnson, himself an eminent negro poet, speaking at the last community service of the season on Palm Sunday evening.

As the Rev. Robert E. Keighton pointed out in introducing Mr. Johnson, there have been at the community services this year representatives of religions, while Sunday night's speaker was the representative of a race.

Mr. Johnson touched briefly on the

negro's obvious contributions to America, of labor, loyalty, and on his cultural contributions of music, the spirituals and blues before getting onto his main theme of poetry.

"Negro poetry," the speaker said, "begins with the folk poetry, the words to his songs. While often trite and repetitious, it contains something that satisfies the poetic spirit."

The secular songs, "the blues," it was pointed out, while often comic, had flashes of poetry. The Uncle Remus stories, likewise, are folk poetry, whose modern equivalent are the bedtime stories.

In speaking of the colored poets, Mr.

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## Mulieres Announce Their Forthcoming Activities

The Mulieres, Auxiliary of the Narberth Fire Company, will hold a board meeting at the home of the president, Mrs. Eberhardt Mueller, 208 Essex Avenue, on Wednesday, at 10:30 A. M.

The regular monthly meeting will be a card party which will be held on Monday, April 13, in Elm Hall. This party is free to all the members of the organization on presentation of their membership cards. Every one is cordially invited and the members are privileged to bring guests upon the payment of a small fee. There will be tables for bridge, 500 and contract. Those playing auction bridge and 500 will progress. The contract players will pivot. Prizes have been donated by some of the members. The committee in charge is planning a most enjoyable afternoon and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

## Legion Auxiliary Bridge Parties Begin April 15

The first of a series of Legion Auxiliary bridge parties, proceeds of which are to go to the Legion welfare fund, will be held Wednesday evening, April 15, in the Legion club room.

A special group of prizes will be distributed for the tables, and a valuable door prize will be given by the post commander.

The Auxiliary committee is headed by Mrs. R. K. Hewitt and Mrs. Charles Greyer. A Legion committee is co-operating.

## Sub-Juniors Meet Monday

The Sub Junior Department of the Woman's Community Club of Narberth will hold a meeting on Monday evening at 7:30 in Elm Hall. Miss Dorothy Holland, teacher of English at Lower Merion High School, will be the speaker.

## Narberth Public School Buildings to Be Completely Remodeled and Modernized

Extensive Alterations, Including New Auditorium, Class Rooms, Unit Heating System, Included in Plans  
Approved by Board

WILL BE FINANCED BY \$55,000 BOND ISSUE

By KENNETH L. M. PRAY  
President Narberth School Board

To avoid fire hazards and to bring the Narberth public school buildings up to standards now required by State laws and regulations, in entrances, exits and stairways, in lighting, heating and ventilation, in shape, size and equipment of class rooms, in toilet facilities, and in means of circulation of pupils through the buildings, the School Board, at its regular meeting last Friday evening, decided upon immediate extensive alterations and improvements of the school property, including practically complete remodeling of the interior of the older building at Sabine and Essex Avenues.

Plans have been under consideration for several months, and the decision of the Board has been influenced by

the fact that inspection showed that the heating and ventilation system required immediate renewal, at very heavy expense, while the replacement of the auditorium, which violates State law in many respects, was deemed imperative, in the interest both of safety and convenience. The low cost of building at this time and the great need for employment were additional factors in the decision, while the present indebtedness of the school district, which is already far below the average of districts of its size and assessed valuation, being only \$48,000, will be still further reduced by the payment of \$15,000 in outstanding bonds next October 1. The improvements will be provided from the proceeds of a bond issue, for \$55,000, to be floated immediately, which will cover all important capital outlays that can be foreseen for several years and which can be carried and paid for, along with current expenses, out of current revenues, without any increase in the tax rate this year or so far as can be seen in the near future. When completed, Narberth will have a thoroughly modern school plant, which could not be provided in a new building for less than twice the contemplated outlay. Work will begin in June and will be completed before the opening of school in the fall.

Boyd, Abel & Gugert, a Philadelphia firm of architects, of which Victor D. Abel, a resident of Narberth, is a member, and which has had wide experience in school construction, including many contracts in Haverford and Radnor Townships nearby, have been employed. Preliminary plans submitted by Mr. Abel have been approved by the Board, following the approval

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## To Repeat Play For Benefit of Ball Team

A repeat performance of "The Whole Town's Talking," the farce presented by the Dramatic Committee of the Woman's Community Club of Narberth on March 13, will be given next Friday evening, April 10, at Elm Hall for the benefit of the Narberth Baseball Club.

The play, which made such a hit on its previous performance, will be given with the original cast intact. It is hoped that a large audience will turn out so that the ball club may be able to start the season in good shape.

## Hour Later

The Narberth Library will open today, Good Friday, at 3 o'clock instead of 2 o'clock, the usual time.

## Go to Church on Sunday . . .

### Methodist Episcopal Church

Rev. Samuel MacAdams, Minister.  
 Sunday, April 5, Easter:  
 9:45 A. M.—Easter program in the Sunday School. Lenten offering boxes are due.  
 11:00 A. M.—Morning worship and sermon. Infant baptism and reception of new members.  
 6:45 P. M.—Epworth League devotional meeting.  
 7:45 P. M.—Evening worship and sermon.  
 Monday, April 6:  
 2:30 P. M.—Meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society in the church parlor.  
 8:00 P. M.—Meeting of the Official Board in the board room.  
 Tuesday, April 7:  
 8:00 P. M.—Meeting of the Sunday School Board in the church parlor. The board will be the guests of the Primary Department.  
 Wednesday, April 8:  
 8:00 P. M.—Midweek prayer service.

### All Saints Episcopal Church

Montgomery Pike & Wynnewood Rd.  
 Rev. Gibson Bell, Rector.  
 Rev. Edward J. Bubb, Assistant.  
 Frederick Hall, Organist.  
 Vested Choir of thirty-five voices.  
 8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion.  
 9:45 A. M.—Children's Easter service and presentation of mite boxes.  
 10:40 A. M.—Organ recital:  
 1. Sunrise in the Forest (from Peer Gynt Suite No. 1) . . . Grieg  
 2. Reminiscence of Rouen . . . Hall  
 3. Andante Cantabile (from Fifth Symphony) . . . Tchaikovsky  
 4. Largo (from "Xerxes") . . . Handel  
 11:00 A. M.—Communion and sermon.  
 At this service the musical program will include:  
 Christ Our Passover . . . Tours  
 Offertory Anthem—"As It Began to Dawn" . . . Vincent  
 Gloria in Excelsis . . . Tours in F  
 Nunc Dimittis . . . Tours in F  
 Organ Postlude—Triumphal March, Archer

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Avenue, open daily, 10:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M. Wednesday evening, 9:15 to 9:45.  
 The subject for the Bible lesson sermon for Sunday, "Unreality."

### The Presbyterian Church

Rev. John Van Ness, M.A., Minister.  
 Meetings for Easter Day:  
 9:45 A. M.—Bible school. All departments will assemble in the social room for special Easter exercises.  
 11:00 A. M.—Morning worship. Sermon theme: "Death is Swallowed Up in Victory." Special Easter music. The Junior Church will meet with us at this service.  
 4:00 P. M.—Session meeting for the examination of the Communicants' Class. All interested are cordially invited to this meeting.  
 6:45 P. M.—Junior Endeavor meeting, directed by Miss Dempster.  
 6:45 P. M.—Senior Endeavor meeting, led by Mary Dunlap and Mary Ferguson.  
 7:45 P. M.—Easter choral service. The beautiful Easter cantata, "Cross and Crown," will be rendered by a large chorus of trained voices.  
 Next Tuesday evening—The Community Bible Class, taught by Miss Harrison.  
 Next Wednesday evening preparatory meeting looking forward to the Communion service of the following Sunday.  
 Next Thursday evening—Westminster Circle meeting at the home of Mrs. Ralph L. Rankin, 318 Chestnut Avenue.  
 The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed in this church on Sunday morning, April 12.

### St. Margaret's R. C. Church

Evidencing the splendor of Him, the great honor due Him and the joy that "Christ Is Risen," St. Margaret's will celebrate Solemn High Mass Easter Sunday morning at 11:15. The choir will sing the following mass:  
 Kyrie (Lord Have Mercy), Gloria in Excelsis Deo (Glory to be to God on High), Credo in Unum Deo (I Believe in One God) Sanctus (Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of Hosts), Agnus Dei (Lamb of God Who Takes Away the Sins of the World, Have Mercy on Us) by Rev. J. E. Turner, O. S. B. Offertory, Regina Coeli in E Flat by Rosewig.  
 Choir: Henry P. Carr, director; sopranos: Mrs. Howard Morrell, Miss Dorothy Mulligan, Miss Marie Meyer,

Mrs. W. F. Horan; contraltos: Mrs. Joseph A. Borden, Miss Anna Phillips; tenors: Henry P. Carr, Albert Blum, Howard Morrell; basses: Mr. Fred J. Hipkiss, Mr. Samuel McCartan, George Meyer; organist: Mrs. Marie Hayes Curley.

### Baptist Church of the Evangel

Robert E. Keighton, Minister  
 Sunday, April 5:  
 11:00 A. M.—Easter Morning Worship. The School meets at 10:30 o'clock and then unites with the Church in an Easter Service. There will be a dramatization given by the children, called "Life More Abundant." The service will close with the Observance of the Ordinance of Baptism.  
 7:30 P. M.—Organ Recital by Miss Dorothy Wire.  
 7:45 P. M.—The Annual Easter Twilight Communion Service. A service of inspirational values, based upon the Lord's Supper.  
 Tuesday, April 7:  
 10:30 A. M.—Meeting of the White Cross. The speaker will be Mrs. Edward Puhl, who will be remembered as the former Miss Margaret Levering.  
 8:00 P. M.—Trustees' Meeting in the Church.  
 Wednesday, April 8:  
 8:00 P. M.—Prayer Service. The first of the services suggested by members of the Church and Congregation. The topic will be, "What About John 16:12-15?"  
 The young people are giving a play in the Church on Friday, April 17. It is called "The Left Overs." Plan to see it!

### Contributions of Negro Discussed by Speaker

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Johnson mentioned Phyllis Sweetly, the colored girl who was brought up in a New England household in the eighteenth century and was given a Boston education. She was, he said, the second woman to publish poetry in America.  
 Paul Lawrence Dunbar was the first negro poet who combined talent with technique. He was the first, the speaker pointed out, to popularize dialect poetry.  
 A later school of negro poetry was

briefly mentioned which revolted at the dialect poetry limited to humor and pathos and wrote what might be termed poetry of rebellion, voicing what the masses of the race felt. Then a later school arose which in turn revolted against the propaganda of its predecessors.

In his own poetry Mr. Johnson said that he had gone back to the folk lore of his race for subject matter. He then read, or rather recited since he had no need to refer to the manuscript, "The Creation," perhaps the best known of his poems in the volume, "God's Trombones."

Invocation at the service was made by the Rev. Cletus A. Senft, pastor of Holy Trinity Lutheran Church; the psalter was read by the Rev. Samuel MacAdams, of the Methodist Church, and the scripture reading and prayer was by the Rev. Keighton, of the Baptist Church. The music was furnished by the choir of the Lutheran Church, with Miss Margaret Squier as organist. One of their offerings was the negro national hymn written by the speaker, Mr. Johnson.

### To Sell Coal

William Tuttle, of Bala-Cynwyd, has joined the staff of Ralph S. Dunne's Narberth Coal Company, to aid in the exclusive Main Line distribution of Jeddo-Highland Anthracite. To aid in his calls, a Ford sedan has been purchased from the Richards-Fisher Company, Cynwyd.

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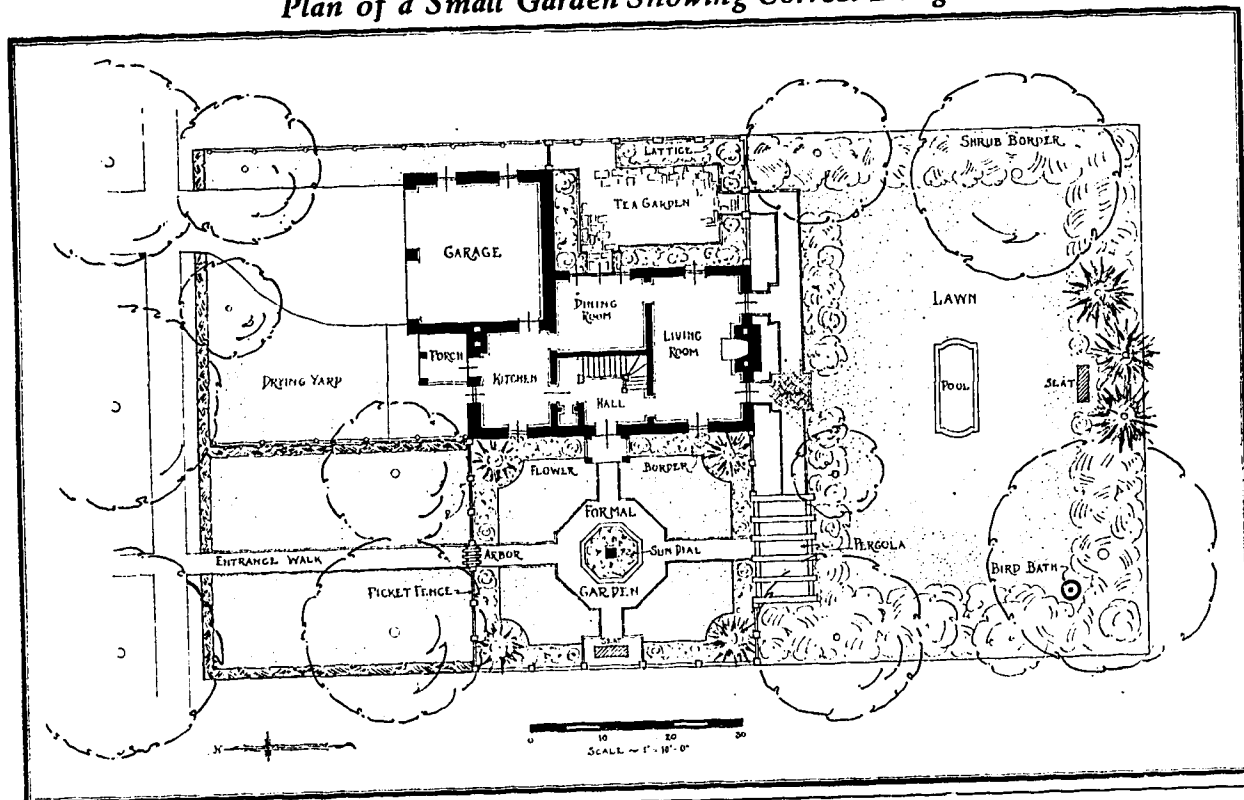
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# Plan of a Small Garden Showing Correct Design



## Need for Design in the Small Garden Is Explained at Bala-Cynwyd Garden Club

The Garden Club of Bala-Cynwyd heard a most interesting talk yesterday morning on "Correct Designs in the Small Garden," given by Frank A. Schrepfer. Mr. Schrepfer stressed the importance of having "design which is the orderly arrangement of sizes, forms, colors, textures, etc., in accordance with a predetermined scheme which looks toward greater usefulness and beauty."

"The owners of small places," the speaker stated, "are usually afraid of the word 'design' and feel that it should be applied only to large estates. This is quite the opposite in fact, for the small place really demands that everything in it be arranged in definite manner. In this way relations are obvious. Hence in the well-planned small garden we have beds following fences and shrubs along walls, etc."

"This formal manner for the small property is better than the 'naturalistic' effect, which is totally impossible in so restricted amount of space, for to obtain the true naturalistic effect it must look as though man had nothing to do with it. Try to achieve this latter in the small garden and the result will be the most unkempt appearance."

"Now to explain more clearly what I have termed 'design'—this is an emotional impulse or stimulus translated into form, or sound, or color, by virtue of analysis. Since it is the result of intellect, it should result in economies—less waste, more pleasure."

"It is the instinct of normal people to seek relief from confinement of civilized life. At the highest point of the development of a period of civilization (Italian Renaissance, for example) we find a high development in gardens. Bacon summarizes as follows: 'Man has ever learned to build stately sooner than to garden finely; as if gardening were the greater perfection.'"

### All World a Design

Mr. Schrepfer went on to say that "all the world is a 'design.' Plant forms and animal forms show regular patterns of design. We understand things when we can see what they are and what they mean. We are afraid of things we do not understand, i. e., prejudice."

"Appreciation of good design is instinctive only in a few people, for appreciation calls for an accumulation of background of ideas and experiences which are appraised intellectually and appreciated emotionally. This is culture. Study is necessary to the development of 'taste,' as well as normal feeling for sound and colors. In nature a design proceeds from very simple



Frank A. Schrepfer

forms to very complex, but always form and function are related. So in developing a small place, we have simple or elaborate treatment."

And the lecturer pointed out "the ideal of planning or designing is to achieve full utility with the maximum beauty. The small property, for example, has three parts to be considered: First, the house, garage, pavements and roadways; second, that portion of the property exposed to the public view, and lastly, that section which is essentially private."

### Slides Illustrate Points.

By means of slides, Mr. Schrepfer illustrated these points, showing sketches of house, pergola, bench, lattice, bird bath, etc., as separate and distinct items. Then he showed a design for a small garden—75x50—with all these worked into a perfect whole.

These two slides clearly demonstrated what the speaker meant when he said that "for small properties, design will accomplish a three-fold economy; namely, space, cost of construction and cost of maintenance. In discussing the first—space—he explained further that "the less land we have, the greater need to get the maximum use of every portion. When areas are small, all or a large part is visible at one time. Therefore, poor arrangements, ugly objects and bad

### About the Speaker . . .

Frank A. Schrepfer, who gave the accompanying talk to the Garden Club of Bala-Cynwyd yesterday morning, is assistant professor of landscape architecture of the School of Fine Arts, University of Pennsylvania. He is a graduate of the University of Illinois, and holds the degree of Master of Science from Harvard. He has also studied at the University of Chicago.

His book, "Hardy Evergreens" (Orange, Judd & Co.), is well known and, in addition to this, he has written many magazine articles. The current number of "Landscape Architecture" contains an article he has written, entitled, "Problems of Education in Landscape Architecture."

During the past year he has given lectures before numerous garden organizations, among them the Four Counties Garden Club, the New York Horticulture Society and the Trevoise Horticulture Society. He also gave special lectures for one year at Vassar College on "Landscape Architecture." He is a member of the American Society of Landscape Architects and is a member of the committee on education of the organization. He also belongs to the following honorary societies: Gamma Sigma Delta (agriculture), Phi Sigma (biological), Delta Sigma Rho (forensic), Sigma Upsilon (literary), and the University Landscape Architect's Society.

Mr. Schrepfer, a native of California, has lived for the past five years at 315 Grayling Avenue, Narberth. He is commander of American Legion Post, No. 356, Narberth. During the war he served in the 65th Artillery Brigade Headquarters, and is credited with three sectors: Meuse-Argonne, Saint Mihiel and Soissons. He was wounded twice, once in August, 1918, and again in October, 1918.

taste are constantly in the focus of our attention. Good treatment puts things where they belong and where they are enjoyed to greatest advantage.

"In a properly designed small place, the property will be planned so that the 'lot' becomes an extension of the house—the garden an out-door living room. Building a garden is much like building a house. When constructing a home, the size and arrangement of the rooms is fixed; the wallpaper, colors and all decorations may be changed and varied from time to time. So with a garden—and here the cost of construction enters in—there are permanent and temporary plantings. The former are the trees and shrubs, and it is important that they receive proper consideration; the latter are the annuals, bulbs and perennials."

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**Non-fiction**

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**Fiction**

"Bridge of Desire," by Warwick Deeping; "Dr. Thorndyke's Cases," by R. A. Freeman; "For a Song," by Konrad Bercovici; "Sophisticates," by Gertrude Atherton; "Today's Virtue," by Faith Baldwin; "Glory Trail," by Meredith Reed; "Salute to Cyrano," by Paul Feval; "Mrs. Fischer's War," by Henrietta Leslie; "White Fawn," by O. H. Prouty; "Grand Hotel," by Vicki Baum; "The Forge," by T. S. Stribling; "Aphrodite in Aulis," by George Moore; "Four-Flusher," by Elizabeth Jordan; "Orchid," by Robert Nathan; "Winding Lane," by Philip Gibbs; "Good Earth," by P. S. Buck; "Hopalong Cassidy and the Eagle's Brood," by C. E. Mulford; "Tumult in the North," by George Preedy; "Jimgrim," by Talbot Mundy; "Above the Dark Tumult," by Hugh Walpole; "Gringo Privateer and Island of Desire," by Peter B. Kyne; "Harm Wulf," by Hermann Lons; "Sam," by Freeman Lincoln; "Silver Wings," by G. L. Hill; "Taxi," by A. D. Miller; "Richer Dust," by Storm Jameson.

**Detective and Mystery Stories**

"Corpse in the Constable's," by G. D. N. and Margaret Cole; "White Face," by Edgar Wallace; "Murder at Bridge," by Anne Austin.

**Junior Baseball Club****Holds First Meeting**

The first meeting of the season of the Narberth Junior Baseball Club was called to order by John Drizin, president of the club, on Monday night at 8:15. Several of the older members of the club were present, as well as a promising number of rookies recruited from the Narway team.

It is important to the younger fellows of the town to know that such an organization as the Junior Club is functioning in the Borough. The Juniors would be pleased to have more new members present at the next meeting, which will be Monday evening, April 13, at 8 o'clock, in John Drizin's store, located on Narberth Avenue. Due to the few members that were present, nothing definite was settled. However, it was planned to play Tuesday and Thursday evenings as well as Saturday afternoons, when the Narberth Club is away. Tom Casey remains as business manager and Jerry Casey was elected treasurer. Several names were mentioned as the possible managers. Among those mentioned were Fred Walzer and Harry Holler. There is to be a benefit at a local theater soon in order to raise some capital and the club feels sure that the loyal Narberthites, who like to see a 100 per cent. Narberth team, will do their part to help the club which had such a successful season last year.

**Lehigh Entertains**

All Lower Merion students who are planning to go or are thinking of going to Lehigh University will be entertained by the Lehigh Club at the Engineers Club, 1370 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, on the evening of April 10 at 8 o'clock. The meeting will be addressed by prominent Lehigh men and refreshments will be served.

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**The Editor's Column**

The announcement of the School Board's plans to thoroughly remodel the Narberth school buildings, making them modern in every respect, should meet with the universal approval of the residents of the borough.

In addition to providing very necessary alterations, both from the point of view of safety and utility, the project comes at a time when building costs are low and unemployment may be relieved.

Skillful working out of the plans by the architects, Boyd, Abel and Gugert, of whom Mr. Abel is a borough resident, has provided rooms in the basement, including a new auditorium which will be available for community use.

Not the least in importance is the method the Board has agreed on to finance the improvements. The total cost estimated at \$55,000 will be met by a bond issue to be launched immediately. This will also cover all important capital outlays which can be foreseen for years to come, and can be carried along and paid for out of current revenue, *without raising the tax rate.*

The indebtedness of the Narberth School District is far below the average for its size at the present time, and will be further reduced with the payment of \$15,000 in outstanding bonds next fall.

The School Board is to be congratulated upon its move to give Narberth children the best in physical equipment in its school buildings.

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Last Sunday saw the conclusion of the community services for this season, a series which has met with the support of residents, both in person and financially, to a very satisfactory degree.

The calibre of speakers has been uniformly high and the attendance at the services, which has averaged over 400, has shown that such a project is appreciated by the community.

The success of this year's series has encouraged the sponsors to set about planning for next year and speakers of equal or greater, if possible, ability and prominence are promised.

Representing as it does a true community enterprise, being sponsored jointly by the Baptist, Methodist and Lutheran Churches, the Woman's Community Club, the Merion Friends' Meeting and the American Legion, it is to be regretted that any divergences of religious belief should prevent 100 per cent. co-operation in the sponsorship by the local churches. While All Saints Church, Narberth's Episcopal Church, has not been officially represented this year, it is understood to be favorable to the idea and may join unreservedly in future services.

The attractive new Methodist Episcopal Church with its ample seating capacity has proved a very satisfactory scene for the community services and it is to be hoped they will be held there in the future.

**Fine Work, Lower Merion**

For the second consecutive year the basketball team of Lower Merion High School has fought its way to the finals of the State tournament.

Whether that will again be a barrier as was the case with Sharon last year or whether the Maroon will surmount the final obstacle as it has five strong teams in the tournament so far tomorrow night will tell.

But win or lose, the record Lower Merion has hung up is a remarkable one, 22 straight victories and 47 out of 49 in two years. As we have remarked before, it is a great team and one well worthy of the fine athletic traditions of the school.

**W. B. Richards Tells of Cuba at Rotary**

An insight into Cuban life was afforded members of the Bala-Cynwyd-Narberth Rotary Club Tuesday by Walter B. Richards. He told of his recent trip to the island where he was the guest of an elderly resident who had fought in the war for independence.

Following a brief sketch of the history and architecture of Cuba, Mr. Richards drew a contrast between the

progressive and modern Havana and the poverty-stricken back country. Despite the display of extravagance on the part of American visitors, he said, the natives are most friendly to tourists.

Points of interest to many are Sloppy Joe's saloon and the Tropical Brewery, where beer is free. Mr. Richards attended a meeting of the Havana Rotary Club and was impressed by the power of the organization in the affairs of the republic.

**Legion B. & L. Opens 25th Series Tuesday**

Its twenty-fifth series will be opened by the Narberth American Legion Building and Loan Association at the regular monthly meeting to be held on Tuesday, April 7, in the office of the Narberth Coal Company.

Subscriptions for new shares may be given any of the association's directors, or at the Merion Title and Trust Company and the Narberth National Bank.

Both single and double shares will be issued—single shares at a dollar plus 25 cents per share entrance fee; double shares at two dollars plus 50 cents per share entrance fee.

Assets of the association are now in excess of \$325,000, and a cash reserve is being built up to meet payments on maturing stock this year and next.

The association has met withdrawal requests promptly and advanced money on stock loans as requested. "In this connection," according to one of the officers, "it is gratifying to note that the withdrawals in the past six months have been less than usual, which shows the confidence the stockholders have in their association, as well as their policy to save and conserve their assets."

Officers are Alexander C. Shand, Jr., president; Isadore A. Miller, vice president; Harry A. Simpson, secretary; Horace T. Smedley, treasurer, and Walter M. Burkhardt, solicitor.

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**Junior Club Meets at Home of Faith McAuliffe**

A very pleasant and friendly meeting was held by the Junior Community Club of Narberth on Thursday evening at the home of the recording secretary, Miss Faith McAuliffe, with the president, Mrs. Clifford Goodwin, presiding.

A review of many worthwhile current books, both in fiction and biography, was made by Mrs. David Patterson, of Cynwyd, who has the happy faculty of telling, in a very dramatic style, just enough about a book to make one extremely conscious of the desire to read it through. Club members were busy making notes of the books and authors Mrs. Patterson talked about, and it is probable that her talk will result in a very desirable stimulation of reading habits.

Mrs. Ellsworth Clarke, who took the leading role in "The Whole Town's Talking," entertained the club members with readings from a romantic novel entitled "Greatheart," accomplished with her usual skill.

Mrs. Goodwin made announcement of a large musicale and dance to be given by all the Juniors of the district at the Penn Athletic Club on April 17 for the benefit of the Red Cross Relief Fund. Mrs. Bernard Keenan, the Junior Chairman, who represents the Senior Club, was delegated to announce to the seniors that patronesses were desired from among the senior ranks for this affair. Any senior purchasing two tickets or more is eligible to become a patroness and as such will have her name inscribed on the souvenir programs. And, of course, the Juniors are earnestly urged to attend.

The next meeting of the Junior Club will be April 9, at Elm Hall, 8:15 P. M. A group consisting of one-half the membership of the club will provide the evening's entertainment, to be a surprise program. Later in the month the other half of the membership will present their idea of a good program, and it is rumored a prize will be given for the best result. Enthusiasm has waxed high throughout this club year, and it is encouraging to know that the Junior membership has had a very steady increase over last year's list.



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## WHO'S WHO in the Lower Merion Police Force

### Officer Taylor Has Been Bad News for Bootleggers

*The eighteenth of a series of articles  
to introduce the members of Lower Mer-  
ion's splendid police force to our readers.*

By ROBERT M. CAMERON

A good man for bootleggers to be wary of is Officer Jimmie Taylor, a member of the department's motorcycle squad. For Jimmie, on more than one occasion, has proved a nemesis to their best laid plans.

Twice Taylor effected the arrest of bootleggers who had their liquors cunningly stowed away under false bottoms of their automobiles. The appearance of the car, with the battery on the outside, aroused his suspicion, and when he was examining the driver's license card, he dropped it to the ground so as to have a chance to look underneath the machine. This was sufficient to give the trick away, and those drinks never saw their intended owners.



OFFICER JAMES C. TAYLOR

Taylor also intercepted a barrel of beer which was being nonchalantly conveyed in the rear of an automobile from Camden and destined for a Main Line home. Six small kegs on another occasion were discovered by him in the back of a roadster.

One incident in Jimmie's career which does not appear on the police records, since with characteristic modesty he did not report it, was the rescue of a little boy from under the wheels of an automobile. It occurred on Lancaster Pike in Rosemont shortly after the beginning of school last fall. The youngster dashed into the street without looking, just as an automobile was starting up. Taylor shouted at him, but that failed, so he made a dash to the spot and snatched the lad from in front of the automobile just as the car's wheels brushed him.

The closest shave Taylor was ever in resulted from a wild chase down Lancaster Pike at 70 miles per hour at 11:30 at night after a speeder. The eight-cylinder roadster which he was after crashed into the rear of a car making a left turn into Remington Road, spun it around and severely injured a woman occupant. If Taylor had been trailing the roadster a little closer, or if there had been two lines of traffic going in the opposite direction on the pike, his chances of getting through without serious injury would have been slight, as there was no chance of stopping abruptly when going at that pace.

Another chase Taylor recalled was after a big sedan which put out its lights when the driver saw he was being followed, and tried to give the officer the slip. Jimmie was then riding

one of the two-cylinder Indians with one-wheel brake, which could not slow up as quickly as the present machines. His quarry, going out Montgomery Avenue, jammed on the brakes at Penn Road, in Wynnewood, and turned down this street as Taylor shot by. By the time he could turn around, the speeder was turning the corner at Wynnewood Station. Burnt tire marks on the road and dust enabled Taylor to pick up the trail, and it wasn't long before he cornered his prey in a drive-way.

One time Taylor was after a hit-and-run driver who left his car and took to his heels. The chase led through back yards and around side streets, but Jimmie ran down his man at the Haverford College pond.

James C. Taylor was born in Ardmore twenty-seven years ago. He attended the Township schools, and when still in his teens began caddying at the Merion Cricket Club, where he was later regularly employed for six years. During the war he worked for two years in the Sun Ship Yard. He joined the Lower Merion police force on April 6, 1925, and has the distinction, shared with Officer Norman Brown, of being the longest time on a motorcycle.

While his fellow motorcycle officer, Joe Crooks, lays claim to the checker championship of the force, Jimmy Taylor claims to be the golf champ. He often plays with his brother officers when off duty, also numbers the Superintendent, lieutenants and sergeants among his victims.

Last summer Taylor gained fame as the winner of the "Dream Home" at Sixty-ninth Street.

Jimmie was recently re-elected a director of the Police Pension Fund Association, from Sergeant Wilson's squad. He was married in 1927, has two sons, James, Jr., 3 years of age, and Jack, 2. His home is at 19 North Wyoming Avenue, Ardmore.

### Officer Plumridge Works the 'West End' Beat

Charles Plumridge, one of the young officers assigned to what is termed the "west end of the pike" beat, on Lancaster Avenue, Ardmore, has been a member of the department since June 18, 1929.

Officer Plumridge was busy the other evening keeping a watchful eye on a St. Patrick's night dance which threatened to become too boisterous. "This shift isn't bad," he said (it was the four to twelve) "as there is more going on around here in the evenings and you have to keep your eyes open."

Born in Philadelphia March 4, 1902, Plumridge attended the Barry School, Fifty-fourth and Race Streets. He worked for four years at the Autocar



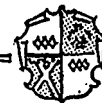
Officer Charles Plumridge

Company before learning the steam-fitter's trade.

He was married four years ago to Tuesday evening began the rejoicing of the student body. The fact that there was no school for the rest of the week was a cause for joy, second only to the basketball victory. The three-day vacation is due to the fact that each year the faculties of the various schools attend a "Schoolmen's Conference." Better luck next time, faculty!

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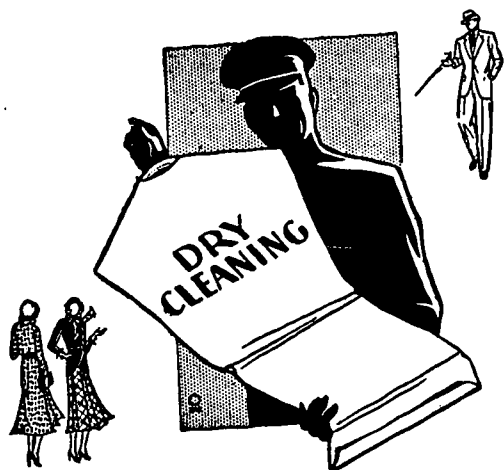
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## May Abolish Gate Receipts At Haverford

Student Committee Condemns  
Practice as Form of  
Commercialism.

### URGE MORE DANCES

The abolishment of gate receipts at all athletic contests, shortening of schedules, addition of more winter sports, more informal dances and more musical entertainment and lectures were some of the recommendations of a student committee at Haverford College, made in connection with the survey of the college as it nears its hundredth birthday.

Its statement regarding athletics follows in part:

"Athletics present our biggest problem because it involves more men than any other department. The committee feels that athletics should definitely be used as an implement in college education and for that reason approves the policy already begun by the faculty of adding coaches to its membership. While intercollegiate athletics can help the moral tone of colleges generally and in its proper place be an asset, a builder of loyalty and the spirit of co-operation, we are entirely in accord with the present policy of the faculty in making the intellectual purpose of the college strong, effective, primary. For these reasons we make the following suggestions:

"A. Gate receipts—Gate receipts should be abolished, because: They are a form of commercialization which is not in accord with the spirit of amateur sport.

"The same amount of money can be raised by increased A. A. dues or by an endowment, which would give an income much more certain and depend-

### Devon Chairman



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able. A certain fixed income would enable the managers to plan the budget more effectively so that better schedules could be played.

"The tendency should be toward shorter schedules and absolutely no conflicts with quarterly exams and comprehensive exams at present. The committee has studied the question of associations and leagues with respect to Haverford's position. It believes that associations (such as the Middle Atlantic A. A. for track) serve a useful purpose and are preferred, in an ideal athletic policy, to an organized league. It is felt that a tight league emphasizes too strongly the competitive spirit."

The holding of more informal dances was cited as a method of solving the problem of student residence at college over week-ends.

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### Narberth Theatre Notes

As a tabloid newspaper editor, George Bancroft has another of his dynamic roles in "Scandal Sheet," playing at Narberth's Theatre this week-end. Clive Brook and Kay Francis help make it an interesting show.

Commencing Easter week, Narberth presents comedians Wheeler and Woolsey in "Hook, Line and Sinker." Very diverting.

Wednesday and Thursday will see Ruth Chatterton and Paul Lukas in one of those high-pressure dramas, "The Right to Love."

Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell have pleasing roles in "The Man Who Came Back," which is a popular play and movie that has come back in various forms, always a bit better.

### At the Egyptian

"No Limit," the comedy at the Egyptian this Friday and Saturday, is another of those Clara Bow things.

Belasco's stage hit makes a pleasingly funny comedy for Marion Davies in its movie version of the same name: "Bachelor Father." And there's the take-off and wrecking of a trans-Atlantic flight plane. It's at the Egyptian next Monday and Tuesday evenings and at 2:45 P. M. matinee on Monday.

"Reducing" at the Egyptian Wednesday and Thursday next is a joint offering of Marie Dressler and Polly Moran. Anita Page and Lucien Littlefield also are in the cast, and there are fifty children who had a lot of fun throwing eggs and tomatoes in one of the scenes. On the accompanying program is a new talking or barking dog comedy, "Who Killed Rover?" And the Lower Merion basketball team will attend Wednesday's performance.

One of the season's cleverest and funniest comedies is "Finn and Hattie," coming to Cynwyd next Friday and Saturday. Adapted from "Mr. and Mrs. Haddock Abroad" by Donald Ogden Stewart, one of America's foremost humorists, the story and dialogue are unusually diverting and refreshing. Among the capable comedians in the cast are Leon Errol, Mitzi Green, Zasu Pitts, Lilyan Tashman, Jackie Searl and Regis Toomey.

### To Give Play the 17th

"The Left Overs," an amusing and entertaining three-act comedy, will be given in the Narberth Baptist Church by a group of young people on Friday evening, April 17, at 8:15. Don't miss this opportunity of having a thoroughly good time.

### Quintet At Egyptian

Lower Merion's great basketball team, headed by Coach Bill Anderson, have been invited to attend the Egyptian Theatre's performance next Wednesday evening.

Also at the Cynwyd Theatre next week will be the showing of a film taken especially for the Egyptian showing the basketball team in action.

### The Sacrifice

They crucified the Saviour  
Upon Mount Calvary;  
The anguish that He suffered  
Was born for you and me.

He gave Himself a ransom,  
For us His blood was shed  
That we might live forever  
He suffered in our stead.

Oh! patient, loving Saviour,  
To bear such cruel pain,  
We hope the sacrifice for us  
Has not been made in vain.  
—Margaret L. Griffith.

## Narberth's Favorite RECIPES

Here is a delicious recipe for Easter caramels sent to us by Mrs. Harvey C. Keim, of Dudley Avenue:

### French Cream Caramels

$\frac{3}{4}$  cup of sugar.  
1 cup of Karo syrup.  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  teaspoon salt (scant).  
1 egg yolk.  
1 cup of sweet cream.  
Cook egg yolk and cream three minutes. Add the Karo syrup, sugar and salt. Continue to cook until a drop in cold water forms a firm texture. Take off the stove and add 1 teaspoon of vanilla. Pour in pan and cut in squares when cool.

### Menu

Roast Spring Lamb

Mint Jelly

Pan Roasted New Potatoes

Buttered Asparagus Carrot Salad

Orange Trifle and Coffee

### Carrot Salad

1 cup of grated raw carrot.  
1 cup of chopped raw cabbage or celery, or cabbage and celery combined.

1 tablespoon of lemon juice.  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoon of salt.  
Mayonnaise or boiled dressing.  
Lettuce leaves.

Mix ingredients well and serve on crisp lettuce leaves. The grated carrot may also be combined with cold boiled peas, with chopped nuts, apples or with onions and radishes.

### Mint Jelly for Cold Lamb

1 level tablespoon of granulated gelatine.

$\frac{1}{2}$  cup of cold water.

1 cup of sugar.

$\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoon of salt.

Few grains of paprika.

Green coloring.

1 cup of vinegar.

1 cup of finely chopped mint leaves (fresh or dried).

Soak gelatine in cold water about five minutes, and dissolve in syrup made by boiling sugar and vinegar five minutes. Add salt and paprika, and color green, then add mint leaves. Let stand five minutes, strain into wet molds and chill. Note: Mint extract may be used instead of leaves.

### Orange Trifle

(12 servings—for 6 servings) use half of recipe.

2 level tablespoons of granulated gelatine.

$\frac{1}{2}$  cup of cold water.

$1\frac{1}{2}$  cups of boiling water.

1 cup of sugar.

1 cup of orange juice.

Grated rind of one orange.

1 tablespoon of lemon juice.

$\frac{1}{2}$  pint of heavy cream.

salt.

Soak gelatine about five minutes in cold water, dissolve in boiling water, add sugar, orange juice, grated rind and lemon juice. Pour one-half of the mixture into a shallow pan, dipped into cold water, and chill. Set bowl containing mixture in pan of ice water and stir constantly until mixture begins to thicken; then fold in the heavy cream, beaten until stiff. Turn into a wet ring mold and chill. Remove into a wet ring mold to a serving dish and garnished with glazed cherries to represent flowers. Fill centre with first part removed from pan and cut in cubes. Orange slices may be substituted for the cherries.

### Peanut Cakes

White of 2 eggs.

1 cup of powdered sugar.

1 cup of finely chopped peanuts.

Beat eggs to a stiff froth. Add the sugar gradually, fold the peanuts in lightly and bake in a moderate oven on buttered paper.

### Chocolate Cakes

White of two eggs.

1 cup of powdered sugar.

1 cup of bread crumbs.

1 ounce of grated chocolate.

2-3 teaspoon cinnamon.

1 teaspoon of vanilla.

Beat egg to a stiff froth. Add the sugar gradually. Mix bread crumbs, cinnamon and chocolate. Add to eggs and sugar. Add vanilla. Bake on buttered paper in a moderate oven.

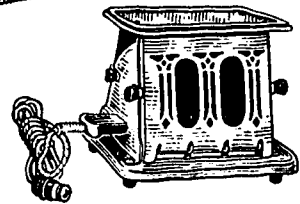
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Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stam, Jr., of Rockland Avenue, have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stam, Sr., of Paterson, N. J.

Mrs. Harvey Jones, of Anthwyn Road, entertained the members of her club at luncheon and bridge on Tuesday. Present were Mrs. C. Carter Bond, Mrs. Kenneth Menken, Mrs. Bertram Quirk, Mrs. Frank Winne, Mrs. Edward Willard, Mrs. Benjamin Linton, Mrs. Carl B. Berger, Mrs. Joseph R. Clausen, Mrs. Barry Truscott and Mrs. Walter Valentine.

Mrs. E. H. Cockrill, of Hampden Avenue, entertained the members of the Narberth Garden Club at luncheon on Wednesday.

Miss Susan Reeves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Reeves, of Windsor Avenue, returned on Thursday from Penn State to spend the spring vacation with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hagenbach have moved from the Berkley Apartments to their new home on Hampden Avenue.

Mrs. S. E. Jefferis and Miss Evelyn Jefferis, of Dudley Avenue, are spending a week in Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. Charles Shaw and her daughter, Miss Juliette Shaw, of Avon Road; Mrs. Clarence A. Speakman and her daughter, Miss Mary Speakman, of Hampden Avenue, attended the Haverford Glee Club concert on Friday evening.

Mr. Edwin Speakman, of Haverford College, is spending the spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Speakman, of Hampden Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Klempell, of Wynndale Avenue, spent two days in Washington, D. C., last week.

Mrs. Herbert B. Price, of Anthwyn Road, and her daughter, Miss Doris E. Price, will spend the Easter holidays in Baltimore, Md., where they will visit Mrs. Price's mother, Mrs. George H. Elmer. On Saturday Miss Doris Price will have a bridge party. There will be twenty guests. On Monday Mrs. Price will be the guest of honor at a bridge luncheon given by Mrs. George C. Willis, of Forest Park, Baltimore.

Mrs. G. O. Schroder, of Dudley Avenue, was the hostess to the members of her bridge club on Thursday.

Miss Dorothy Clevenger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Clevenger, of Woodside Avenue, has returned from Wilson College to spend the spring vacation at home.

Miss Madeleine Baughman, of North Narberth Avenue, is also at home from Wilson College for the spring vacation. Captain Frederick C. Patten, of Woodside Avenue, is on a business trip to New York.

Miss Marie Frey, of New York, will spend the Easter week-end as the guest of Mrs. W. R. Robinson, of Stepheny Place.

Mr. Samuel P. Bowman and his son, Willard Bowman, of Elmwood Avenue, will motor to Pittsburgh to attend the Lower Merion-Scott basketball game on Saturday.

Miss Jean Staples, who is a student at Oberlin College, is spending the spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Staples, of Woodside Avenue.

Mrs. M. C. Fargo, of Bowman and Narberth Avenues, left on Tuesday for a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Middendorf, of Rockville, L. I. Later Mrs. Fargo will go to Detroit, Mich., where she will visit her brother, Mr. A. Barren, for two weeks.

Mr. Llewellyn Brooks and Mr. Henry Brooks, who are students at the Citadel, Charleston, S. C., arrived home on Thursday to spend the Easter

vacation with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brooks, of Wayne Avenue. Llewellyn Brooks is a sophomore and Henry Brooks is a freshman.

Mrs. Thomas Manning, of Hampden Avenue, will be the hostess to the members of her bridge club on Tuesday, April 14.

Mr. Robert J. Sigel, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sigel, of Forest Avenue, who is a student at Penn State, will spend the spring vacation in Boston, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigel's other sons, Richard and William Sigel, and Robert Graham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Orr Graham, of Forest Avenue, left on Thursday evening for Pittsburgh, where they will visit relatives and attend the Lower Merion-Scott basketball game on Saturday.

Miss Kitty Boxman and Miss Mary

### Battlers' Win Gives Them League Lead

The Battlers defeated the Meteors on Friday night and took the lead by one point.

The standing and summaries are as follows:

|          | W. | L. | Pts. |
|----------|----|----|------|
| Battlers | 25 | 8  | 33   |
| Meteors  | 22 | 11 | 32   |
| Pilots   | 21 | 12 | 29   |
| Lions    | 19 | 14 | 25   |
| Colts    | 13 | 20 | 18   |
| Boosters | 14 | 19 | 15   |
| Camels   | 11 | 22 | 13   |
| Pep Boys | 10 | 23 | 11   |

#### BOOSTERS

|             |     |     |     |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Riley       | 166 | 177 | 130 |
| Stringfield | 146 | 122 | 147 |
| Davis       | 195 | 127 | 135 |
| Ward        | 173 | 192 | 192 |
| Handicap    | 46  | 46  | 46  |

#### COLTS

|           |     |     |     |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|
| McClatchy | 137 | 133 | 169 |
| Meehan    | 176 | 191 | 165 |
| Conley    | 191 | 191 | 186 |
| Lacey     | 166 | 150 | 135 |
| Handicap  | 664 | 665 | 655 |

#### METEORS

|              |     |     |     |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Duncan       | 146 | 166 | 179 |
| Stevens      | 170 | 162 | 167 |
| G. Davis     | 159 | 157 | 201 |
| H. Humphries | 174 | 171 | 182 |
| Hartley      | 125 | 154 | 153 |
| Handicap     | 774 | 816 | 882 |

#### BATTLERS

|            |     |     |     |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|
| R. Young   | 170 | 192 | 148 |
| McCart     | 146 | 186 | 168 |
| Turbitt    | 203 | 170 | 189 |
| W. Smedley | 165 | 145 | 191 |
| H. Smedley | 162 | 214 | 147 |
| Handicap   | 37  | 37  | 37  |
| Handicap   | 883 | 944 | 878 |

#### CAMELS

|           |     |     |     |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|
| Mawhinney | 176 | 142 | 214 |
| Butler    | 168 | 140 | 172 |
| Schiller  | 129 | 189 | 154 |
| Rubican   | 179 | 143 | 116 |
| Handicap  | 652 | 614 | 656 |

#### PEP BOYS

|              |     |     |     |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Fittipaldi   | 120 | 114 | 140 |
| Yowell       | 162 | 190 | 192 |
| Hamer        | 109 | 150 | 180 |
| G. Humphries | 113 | 145 | 129 |
| Handicap     | 16  | 16  | 16  |
| Handicap     | 520 | 615 | 657 |

#### PILOTS

|           |     |     |     |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|
| McConnell | 209 | 193 | 199 |
| Brown     | 169 | 128 | 163 |
| Follette  | 142 | 182 | 220 |
| Goodrich  | 132 | 202 | 157 |
| Haws      | 151 | 160 | 161 |
| Handicap  | 8   | 16  | 8   |
| Handicap  | 802 | 881 | 908 |

#### LIONS

|              |     |     |     |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Cauley       | 152 | 160 | 232 |
| Mounney      | 142 | 160 | 154 |
| Murray       | 131 | 192 | 172 |
| C. Humphries | 199 | 151 | 145 |
| Blind        | 132 | 128 | 157 |
| Handicap     | 756 | 791 | 860 |

Jane Boxman, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Boxman, of Merion Avenue, attended the informal dance of the Valley Forge Military Academy on Saturday night, March 28.

Miss Irene Young, of Woodbine Avenue, will spend the Easter holidays in Harrisburg.

Mr. A. Albert Blaess will arrive home on Thursday from State College to spend the spring vacation with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. A. August Blaess and Mr. A. Albert Blaess will spend the Easter week-end at Ventnor, N. J.

Mrs. John L. Ruth and daughter, Miss Sarah Ruth, of Lancaster, Pa., are visiting Mrs. Guy Steinford, of Essex Avenue and Stepheny Place, this week.

Mrs. Essie Ottinger, of Ocean City,

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Miss Jeanette Taylor

Weds Mr. Almon Lewis

Hutchinson At All Saints

A wedding of interest took place last Thursday at four o'clock in All Saints Church, Wynnewood, when Miss Jeanette Denison Taylor, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Mervyn Ross Taylor, of "Rolyat House," Wynnewood, became the bride of Mr. Almon Lewis Hutchinson, son of Mrs. Clarine Twichell Hutchinson, of Lansdowne.

The ceremony was performed by Reverend Gibson Bell, rector of the church.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attired in a gown of cream tone satin, fashioned on simple lines, with long, close-fitting sleeves and a train suspended from

the waistline.

Her veil of tulle was fastened with sprays of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of calla lilies.

Miss Mary Boswell Taylor, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor and only attendant. She wore a smart frock of yellow lace and chiffon, fashioned with a long flare skirt, short cap sleeves and a cape effect of chiffon and lace. Her hat was a large picture affair of lavender horsehair. She wore lavender satin slippers and carried a shower bouquet of spring flowers.

Mrs. Taylor wore a model of pale blue lace with a coat of the same shade. Her hat was of French beige lace straw. She wore a corsage of spring flowers.

Mr. Samuel French served as best man for Mr. Hutchinson, while the ushers were Mr. George H. Batchel-

der, Mr. William W. McAdams, Mr. Wayne K. Simpler, Mr. Fern R. Hutchinson, brother of the bridegroom.

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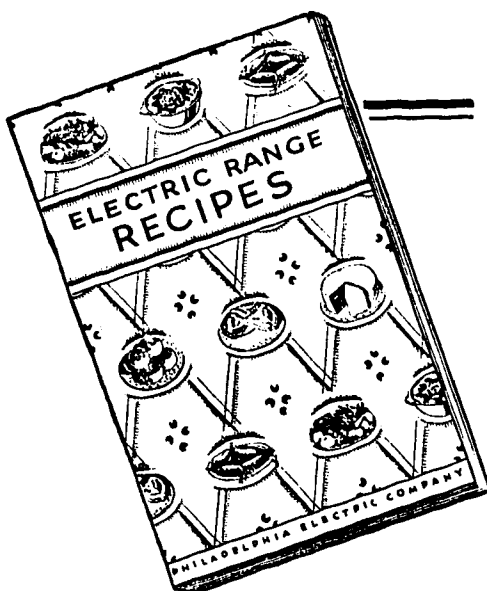
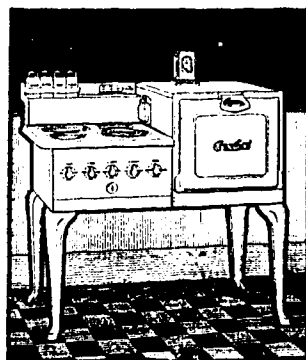
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## THE FIRESIDE

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is visiting her son, Mr. Nelson Clarke, of Wynnewood.

Mr. Aldine K. Siler, Jr., will return today from George Washington University to spend the spring vacation with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Aldine K. Siler are moving from their apartment on North Narberth Avenue to their new home in Penfield on Tuesday.

Mr. John La Galta, of Port Washington, L. I., spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mackenzie.

## Junior Auxiliary Will Hold Supper Dance, April 8, For the Benefit of Saint Vincent's Hospital

Among the Easter week festivities for the school set and the younger married set will be a supper dance at the Merion Cricket Club for the benefit of Saint Vincent's Hospital. It is sponsored by a very energetic group of Main Line girls, among them Eleanor Vanneman and Marie Hallahan, who played squash so valiantly for Cynwyd and the Philadelphia Country Club this winter. This will be the third yearly supper dance given by Saint Vincent's Junior Auxiliary, and if it is as suc-

cessful and well conducted as it has been heretofore, the charitably inclined may promise themselves a gay time on Wednesday evening, April the eighth.

Saint Vincent's Hospital, by the way, has sheltered 25,000 helpless children since its opening in 1885. At present there are 364 babies, 135 homeless mothers and 22 waiting patients in the hospital, certainly a very appealing charity to those of us who have cozy homes of our own.

The committee in charge includes: Miss Marie Hallahan, Miss Eleanor Belz, Miss Mary Strong, Mrs. John Ryan, Miss Barbara Castner, Miss Kathryn Gallagher, Miss Eleanor Clark and Miss Marizita McKeon.

Among the patrons and patronesses will be: Mrs. John C. Belz, Mrs. James Bonner, Mrs. Lawrence Butler, Mrs. T. E. Byrne, Mrs. George W. Butts, Mrs. Richard Barry, Mrs. Bartley J. Doyle, Mrs. Charles E. Carpenter, Mrs. Vincent A. Carroll, Mrs. Samuel J. Castner, Mrs. Henry F. Clark, Miss Mary L. Coleman, Mrs. John P. Connolly, Mrs. William Hanlon Crane, Miss Dimond, Mrs. Charles P. Donnelly, Mrs. Frank Rogers Donahue, Mrs. Daniel C. Donoghue, Mrs. John A. Duross, Mrs. William T. Galey, Mrs. John J. Gallagher, Mrs. Joseph F. Gallagher, Mrs. A. L. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Nicholas Griffin, Mrs. Charles E. Hallahan, Mrs. William F. Harrity, Mrs. Phillip A. Hart, Mrs. William L. Hirst, Mrs. Ignatius Horstmann, Mrs. John F. Horstmann, Mrs. Thomas P. Hunter, Mrs. Franklin S. Horn, Mrs. Mason Lisle, Mrs. Griswold Lorillard, Mrs. Frank J. Kelly, Miss Katherine Kiernan, Mrs. Alexander McConnell, Mrs. John McGlinn, Mrs. William J. McGlinn, Mrs. John C. McKeon, Mrs. John P. Mellon, Mrs. Henry F. Mitchell, Mrs. Paul Monaghan, Mrs. James E. Moroney, Miss Agnes Moylan, Mrs. James A. Mundy, Mrs. Robert W. Lesley, Mrs. John H. Neeson, Mrs. John S. Newbold, Mrs. Frank C. Pequignot, Mrs. John E. Power, Mr. Murtha P. Quinn, Mrs. Carbury Ritchie, Mrs. Joseph S. Rudolph, Mr. Michael J. Ryan, Mrs. Edward F. Riley, Mrs. J. Stanley Smith, Mrs. John Carroll Sheahan, Mrs. James E. Walsh, Mrs. James M. Wilcox, Mrs. J. Taney Wilcox, Mrs. Regina McGlinn Wills, Mrs. William D. Watson, Mrs. Nicholas Thouron, Mrs. Russell Thayer, Mrs. William T. Connor, Mrs. Edwin J. Schoettle, Mrs. John D. Lucey, Mrs. Daniel John Walsh, Mrs. Paul J. Quinn, Mrs. James McArdle, Mrs. Louis Powland.

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## THE FIRESIDE

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Nash, of Wynnedale Road, entertained at dinner followed by bridge on Tuesday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. E. A. E. Palmquist, of Narbrook Park, gave a dinner on Friday evening in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Curtis Lee Laws, of New York. Among the guests were Miss Agnes Austin and Mrs. John Austin.

Miss Alberta Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Davis, of Iona Avenue, will spend the Easter week-end in Pittsburgh.

Miss Ann Speed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh B. Speed, of Chestnut Avenue, will spend the Easter week-end at Annapolis, Md., where she will attend the Naval Hop on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Marr, of Avon Road, entertained at tea on Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Nodine, of Drexel Hill, who are sailing for France and England April 5. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. William J. Geiger, of Glenside; Mr. and Mrs. William Butler, of Drexel Park; Mr. and Mrs. Sayre Ramsdell, of Germantown, and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Jarden, Germantown. Mrs. Marr was the hostess to the members of her bridge club on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. William C. Johnson, on account of the illness of her daughter, Phyllis Johnson, postponed the party

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## 'The Prospect' Often Neglected by Books on Selling, Reviewer of 'Modern Selling' Finds

By Robert F. Wood

To one who finished high school in the opening years of this century and achieved there a smattering of Latin and French, rudimentary mathematics and science, it seems passing strange that salesmanship is now included in the high school curriculum and that, of course, text books are required for it. That text book demand appears to have been well and properly met by "Modern Selling," recently published by Prentice-Hall, of New York, and written by our fellow-townsmen, Charles H. Fernald.

To one who, regardless of the Latin and the French which his formal and now distant education provided, is, by force of earning his living, subjected to much modern salesmanship it is exceedingly interesting to read a book like Mr. Fernald's and to find narrated there the principles and practices by which the prospect is stalked, treed and captured (or sold). Mr. Fernald explains all the moves and the clear style of his book indicates that he has mastered the practices of which he writes.

The book is unusually thorough. More complete than this reviewer would have expected to find in a text book for secondary school use, it is, however, really interesting and lucid. There is little of the jargon of psychology and trade which some of the modern expositors of salesmanship, as a subject for academic study, have invented for their own edification and for the seeming evolution of a business into a profession. Mr. Fernald has kindly presented an autographed copy of his book to the Narberth Community Library where it is now available and forms a valuable addition to their collection of books on business subjects.

Without in the slightest degree implying any adverse reflection of Mr. Fernald or his book, it is impossible to refrain from pointing out that "the Prospect" is always an important but peculiarly devitalized character in all these books on salesmanship. It is unavoidable, of course. The purpose of the book is to teach young men how to sell, how to shape their personalities, their mental processes, their social contacts, their whole lives, in fact, toward success as exemplified and profitably practiced by such great Americans as Charles M. Schwab and Bruce Barton.

But "the Prospect" actually is a very human being, frequently entrusted with the responsibility of spending very large sums of money. The total number of such men and women is much less than the total number of salesmen. The total number of individual buyers, purchasing for personal and domestic requirements, who discharge those responsibilities with the exercise of strong will and sound economy, may also be less than the salesmen who seek them. But the point is that there are many prospects who frequently buy and seldom are sold, who bring to naught much of the salesman's carefully-learned principles.

The text books should give more thought to that peculiar species in the business world. They are the ones who are successfully surviving this period of depression and it is to be feared that the youngsters who are learning salesmanship in the high schools today are going to be up against an entirely different set of principles and practices during the decade now opening than those which prevailed in the decade which was ushered in by the sainted Harding and out by the Great Engineer.

## Hedgerow Theatre to Reopen Next Week For Ninth Season in Renovated Quarters

The Hedgerow Theatre in Moylan-Rose Valley is reopening its "playhouse-in-the-country" for the beginning of its ninth season. While fresh paint enlivens the auditorium and green room the actors are assembling at the old mill for rehearsals. On Saturday night, April 11, "Pinwheel" will be presented as the inaugurating performance of this new repertory series with practically the same cast which appeared in the few showings just before the winter vacation, including Cele McLaughlin as "The Jane"; Harry Bellaver as "The Guy"; Helen Craig as "The Lady Friend"; Ferd Nofer as "The Book-keeper" and Dudley Vaughan and Miriam Phillips in their former roles Francis Edwards Faragoh, the author of "Pinwheel," is already widely known to talkie audiences through his dialogue for "Little Caesar."

When Hedgerow closed on January 31 the company had played since the preceding March 8 204 performances of 31 plays, eight of which were introduced for the first time during that period: Shakespeare's "Othello," Ibsen's "When We Dead Awake," Chiarelli's "The Mask and the Face," O'Neill's "The First Man," Synge's "Playboy of the Western World," Corley's "Limelight" (first time anywhere), Giacosa's "Like Falling Leaves," and Faragoh's "Pinwheel." Operating on its repertory plan, Hedgerow revives every year the plays from preceding seasons and adds from five to ten new ones, until it now numbers seventy-two productions, which include the works of Shaw, O'Neill, Milne, Shakespeare, Synge, Morley and Paul Green, and twelve plays given their first production anywhere and four their first time in America.

Following the annual custom Hedgerow will celebrate its birthday on April 21 with a special performance, which always brings back former members of the company to participate or visit. "Othello" last year marked the occasion, and for the eighth birth-

day it is planned to have ready a new play which will be significant both to the audience and in the history of the company. In preparation for the new season is a play called "Merry-go-Round," by Musselman, the author of "Poker Face," also a Moliere comedy and a Chekhov drama, besides which the Rose Valley company hopes to find several plays which have never before had production elsewhere.

## In the Theater

For two weeks commencing Monday evening, April 13, the Professional Players will again present, by popular demand, Philip Merivale in the brave and human comedy, "Death Takes a Holiday," at the Shubert Theatre. "Death Takes a Holiday" is the provocative play by Walter Ferris, based upon an Italian original by Alberto Casella, in which Mr. Merivale starred all last season in New York, and which was considered the supreme comedy achievement of the year.

The title of "Death Takes a Holiday" is descriptive of the theme, which, in the vein of fantastic comedy, shows Death, a personification, puzzling as to why mankind fears him—why man is not satisfied with his three-score-and-ten-years on earth. So, Death literally "takes a holiday." He assumes the garb and mien of a prince from far-off places, and for three days mingles in the social activities of a gay, thoughtless coterie of men and women removed from worry about material things. And this embodied Death, speculating on the various emotions of men and women, decides that love is the most interesting, and plays with it. Then, at the end of three days, he goes away—and love goes with him. The action of the play covers the three days of Death's holiday, and passes in a castle which is the home of Death's host, the Duke Lambert.

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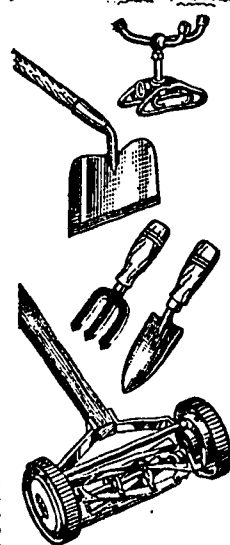
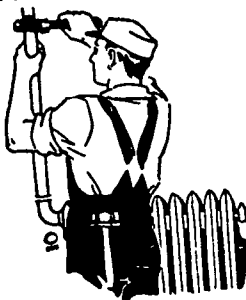
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on the south side of the tracks was  
made at a recent meeting of the Ard-  
more Community Council and has been  
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## New Books

"Tramping Through Ireland," by John Gibbons. (E. P. Dutton and Company, \$2.50.)

Reviewed by L. L. Chappell

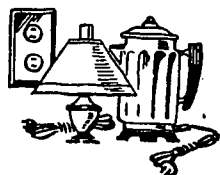
St. Patrick's Day was celebrated just a fortnight ago and the pleasant flurry of small clay pipes, green hats and shamrocks has scarcely subsided. It is, therefore, an appropriate occasion for examining a certain new book, "Tramping Through Ireland," by John Gibbons. The special interest of this small volume rests upon its freshness of viewpoint. John Gibbons is, by his own assertion, "an ordinary middle-aged, middle-class London suburban clerk. And until two years ago not a soul ever heard of me or ever wanted to."

"Barring the war, I'd never been out of England and I hadn't any money and was out of work. But I did scrape up enough to allow myself 5/ a day (that's 1¼ dollars) and I did somehow scramble across France looking like a tramp. In fact, the French gendarmerie usually took me for a Polish tramp. Then someone told me to write a book about it, and I did, and the book came off. Then the London Daily Express picked me up as a novelty and told me to try Ireland; that's what you've got now."

Reading his book one gathers additional information about John Gibbons. He is adventurous, this newspaper correspondent. He has a most gracious mental attitude, and no prejudices worth noting. He carries with him, everywhere, the touchstone of human sympathy. So he met with kindness and cheer as he chatted with the folk of Donegal or Connemara, and he found for his book material that is warmly alive. Just what he sought is thus explained:

"Real writing, of course, I regarded as outside my job. There must be plenty of people who have written serious works about Ireland. And scenery I did not particularly want even to try. In point of fact, I was deliberately giving a miss to all the famous places. My story, I thought, would be the little unconsidered trifles

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"Tramping Through Ireland" yields a twofold enjoyment. The reader, who is particularly interested in Ireland,

will welcome a series of new glimpses, and all readers will derive pleasure from the high-hearted philosophy of the "tramp."

### Fourteen Events Listed on Junior High Track Schedule

The track schedule of Lower Merion Junior High contains fourteen events. Among them are the Penn Relays on April 24, the Bethlehem relays on May 2 and the Philadelphia Suburban meet on May 27.

The schedule follows: April 10, Upper Merion Jr. H. S., Ardmore; April 16, Sophomores, pending, Ardmore; April 24, Penn Relays, Philadelphia; April 30, 9th Grade Interroom Meet, Ardmore; May 2, Bethlehem Relays, Bethlehem; May 4, 8th Grade Interroom Meet, Ardmore; May 7, West Chester Jr. High, Ardmore; May 11, Inter-Class Meet, Ardmore; May 14, Radnor Junior High, Radnor; May 18, Girls' Field Day, Ardmore; pending, Haverford Junior High, Ardmore; May 22, Upper Darby Jr. High, Upper Darby; May 27, Philadelphia Suburban Meet, Upper Darby.

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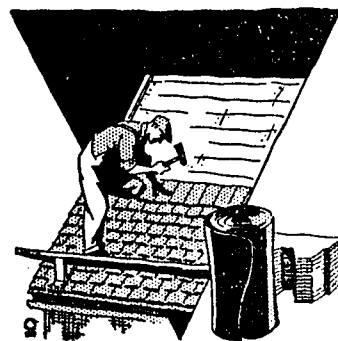
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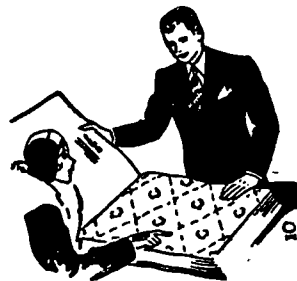
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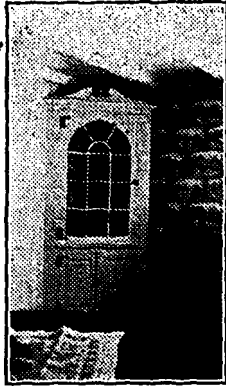
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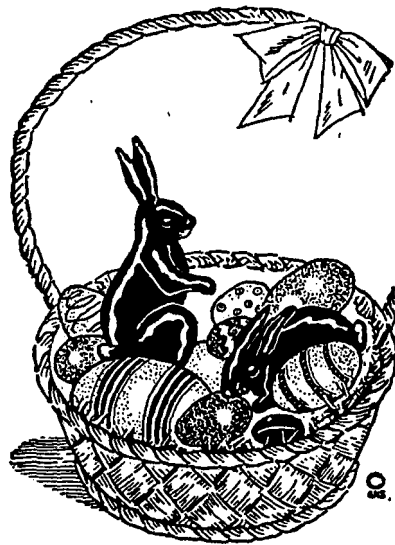
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## Harvey Harman Happy Over New Duties; Praises Lower Merion Schools and Sports

By William Macan

The Main Line section has welcomed the appointment of Harvey J. Harman as head football coach for the University of Pennsylvania as a deserving honor paid to one of its own. The wide approval with which the sports world greeted his nomination was no surprise to his many friends who have recognized since first he came to coach at Haverford College in 1922 that here was a man who would go far and who represented the highest type in athletics.

Mr. Harman spent a few days recently conferring with his new associates at the University of Pennsylvania before returning to wind up his affairs at Sewanee, Tennessee, where, for the past year, he has been football coach for the University of the South. While here, a representative from this paper talked with him and found him to be both enthusiastic and optimistic about his new work. That the Southern climate had agreed with him was apparent, as he appeared to be the picture of health, bigger and better than ever.

With conviction he spoke of his confidence of the success of the Gates plan and of his belief that he was one of a group of pioneers who would be the vanguard of an army of athletes to raise higher the standards of college athletics. He told how, with four assistant coaches for the varsity teams, two scrub coaches, two coaches for freshmen teams, and as many for intramural activities as will be required, the college planned to offer every student the advantages of football training. He plans, when he returns next week from the South, to make an intensive survey of the college for the purpose of learning what boys desire to take up football practice. Teams will be formed next fall so that each player may compete with others of his own class or ability, and as he improves he will be advanced as rapidly as his merits warrant. And so as each year makes more perfect the system, Mr. Harman believes that teams that represent the University in intercollegiate matches will grow stronger and more efficient.

Only the fact that he now enters a broader field with its untold possibilities for service in his chosen field reconciles Mr. Harman to leaving Sewanee. He spoke in glowing terms of the Southern college, and there was no question that his year there had been more than pleasant. He spoke of the fighting spirit of the Southern team and felt confident that the coming football seasons would bring greater glory to his boys of the Southern Conference.

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But Mr. Harman also spoke of his happiness in returning to this section. His loyalty and regard for Haverford College were constantly evident as he talked, and he recalled with a smile of pleasure his work with the track team of the Lower Merion Junior High School.

In speaking of the Lower Merion Junior and Senior High Schools, he told of his months of travel that had taken him to practically every State of the South, and he stated that nowhere had he found finer schools than these of Lower Merion.

His talk then naturally flowed into a discussion of the great record of Lower Merion's High School basketball team. He spoke highly of the players, but saved his greatest praise for Bill Anderson, the school basketball coach. He pointed out that here in miniature might be seen a phase of the Gates plan. The Junior High School basketball team, under the able direction of Luther Fowler, Mr. Harman stated, taught the younger boys the essential fundamentals of basketball technique so that when they passed into the Senior body, they were already prepared for more competitive playing.

The pleasure that the Main Line section has exhibited in welcoming Mr. Harman back is reciprocated by him. He plans to continue living in his former home at 15 Woodbine Avenue, Narberth, hopes to keep in touch with the athletics of Haverford College and the Lower Merion High Schools as much as his new activities will permit.

## Poems of Miss Sally Gibbs, of Rosemont, Are Published

"Beauty for Ashes," a volume by Miss Sally Gibbs, the talented and versatile 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Gibbs, of Rosemont, were published last week by Dorrance and Company. In the book are two types of poetry, one of the Imagist School, the other the expressionist; some are full of beauty and mysticism while others contain stark reality and are almost cruel. An old lady who heard them remarked on the fact that one so young as Miss Gibbs had such an understanding of human nature.

Miss Gibbs started to write poetry at an early age during her school life and was the author of the annual school poem the year of her graduation. Miss Gibbs is a member of the Plays and Players and last year played the lead in "The Faith Healer." She was the solo dancer at one of the performances given at the playhouse last year and at that time introduced a number of original dances. She was also the solo dancer at the performances of the Philadelphia Grand Opera Company, dancing opposite Mikhail Miss Gibbs has been chosen as the Madonna in the performance of "La Jongleur" for the next two years. At one time when playing the part of the Madonna, the part affected her so much in the scene where "La Jongleur" lay dying at her feet that the tears gushed forth and rolled down her cheeks. The electrician who was directing the spotlight on Mary Garden exclaimed: "Where in the devil is that rain coming from?"

Miss Gibbs also played in the stock company at the Garrick Theatre last summer, when June Walker and Pauline Lord were starred. Miss Gibbs has just completed a novel, "Moon Madness," and is at work on another, in which she satirizes her family, friends and other members of her circle.

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## Narberth School Buildings To Be Completely Remodeled

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of officials of the State Departments of Public Instruction and of Labor and Industry, who declared that the proposed changes were almost indispensable for the sake of safety, as well as for convenience and efficiency in school administration.

The plans call for provision of thirteen class rooms in the old building, in place of eleven now provided. At present two class rooms can only be entered by passing through other class rooms; several are so long and narrow or so large as to hamper good educational work; most of them do not conform to present State law as to amount and distribution of light; none is properly ventilated, and it is practically impossible to control temperature to meet changes of wind and weather. In the remodeled building, all class rooms will open directly from central hallways, large enough to allow comfortable circulation of classes and easy supervision at all times. All will be of proper shape and size, without waste space. All will have adequate, well-distributed light and air, and temperature will be regulated through individual heating units in each room, with thermostatic control. Each class room will also have ventilated vanishing-door wardrobes, opening directly into the room; adequate, well-placed blackboards, with cork linoleum exhibit space above; suitable bulletin boards, and indirect lighting for dark days and evenings. Floors throughout will be of the new type of asphalt tile, laid in small squares, of neutral colors, quiet and easy to clean.

Several interesting special features are provided in the plans. The new music room has a small stage for rehearsal and class recitals, with an instrument storage room. The library will have separate stack and work room. The Art Room will have an adequate storage closet properly shelved for materials. The Science Room will have a glass bay window for plant propagation and laboratory demonstrations. In both first and second-story halls, glass cases will be available for exhibiting students' work, and there will be adequate furnishing to accommodate visitors. A waiting room, secretary's office, principal's private office and a record vault will replace the present inadequate facilities. A suitably furnished teachers' retiring room, with wardrobe and lavatory, and an adequate medical and emergency room, with waiting room and lavatory, will also be available.

The present unsightly, inconvenient and dangerous central double stairway will be replaced by two stairways to the upper floor and two to the lower floor (the present basement), all opening from the sides of the hallway. One of the stairways will be inclosed in fire-resistive construction and will have direct outlet from the building, and both will be shut off from the hallways by wire-glass doors, to insure quiet and to give protection against fire, smoke and panic, which is now lacking. Basement stairways will give separate provision for girls and boys, leading directly to their respective lavatories.

Perhaps the most striking improvements will be those that convert the present dark, dingy, cluttered and cut-up basement into an attractive, convenient, accessible suite of rooms avail-

able for community purposes, as well as for important parts of regular school work. An auditorium with a sloping floor, containing 300 fixed seats, some of them equipped with folding arms, for study hall use, with adequate aisles and exits, with a larger stage with a proscenium arch, and with adequate dressing rooms and storage space for stage property, is the most interesting feature of the plan. A wide entrance, leading into a roomy vestibule, from which the auditorium is entered from the rear, opens directly upon Essex Avenue, the grade of the grounds being cut to afford proper approaches. The present auditorium, on the second floor, with only two entrances and exits, both at the front beside the stage, is fortunately done away with, to make room for comfortable and attractive class rooms.

At the opposite end of the building, on the basement or ground floor, the cafeteria remains, but is entirely rearranged, the kitchen and counters, now in the center, at the most congested point of traffic, being moved to the north end of the room, where a steam table and storage room are added. Tables will be provided to seat at least 160 children comfortably, with easier movement about the room and with possible increase of seats for special occasions. With auditorium, dressing rooms, lavatories and cafeteria on this floor, which can be shut off entirely from the rest of the building, excellent facilities are provided for community functions, without disturbing any other part of the school. This arrangement is attempted in all new school buildings, and according to the architects is not always as successfully attained as in this case.

The woodworking shop, enlarged to receive all machines, work tables, lumber rack and finishing bench, and with added height, is also on the lowest floor, and direct access to the outside is provided, for receipt of materials. The whole basement floor will be refinished and adequately lighted, both naturally and artificially. The boiler room on the north side will be shut off from the other rooms. Plumbing and electric equipment throughout will be renewed and entirely new fixtures installed where necessary.

In addition to the remodeling of the old building, part of which dates from 1892 and all of which is at least twenty years old, necessary repairs and improvements will be made in the so-called new building, which houses the primary grades.

An additional improvement will include an outdoor gymnasium and playground floor, to permit exercise during the spring months, when the regular playground is too soft for use and on pleasant days throughout the year, at recess and in regular gymnastic periods. The present lack of such provision tempts the children to use the streets for games and roller skating, with great danger from passing automobiles and with possible annoyance to pedestrians and neighbors.

Members of the School Board are delighted and surprised that it has been found possible to modernize the old building so completely within the present excellent stone walls, and thus to save at least half the cost of a new building, which otherwise would have been necessary in the not distant future.

### FREDERICK HENRY FLEER

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon for Frederick Henry Fleer, former chewing gum manufacturer, who died Monday night at his home, 15 Woodside Avenue, Narberth, after a brief illness. He was sixty-nine. Born in Herford, Germany, he moved here in 1890, as a china importer.

Mr. Fleer was president of the Wilmington Oil and Refining Company for several years. His widow, Ella; two sons, Frank H. Fleer, 2d, Paoli, and Roland Fleer, Narberth; two brothers, Robert Fleer, Overbrook, and Paul Fleer, Devon, and a sister, Mrs. William Mormann, Drexel Hill, survive.

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# Timely Notes for the Main Line Garden Lover



By Robert J. Edgar.

Hardy annuals. While many of our best annuals are better when sown out after the ground has warmed up there are a few that are reliably hardy and will withstand frost. These may be sown in autumn for spring flowering and if the beds have been cleaned up and prepared the seeds may be sown now. It so happens that most of the hardy annuals are difficult to transplant so that the seeds should be sown thinly to remain where they take hold. Among the annuals that are hardy will be found Annual Larkspur, Double Blue Cornflower, Shirley Poppy, Escholtzia, China Pinks or Dianthus and Calendulas. The popular white edging alyssum is hardy but perhaps we had better have the beds and borders finished before the edging is sown. An annual is a plant that flowers once and dies. Many, however, seed themselves.

Early April is the time to divide clumps of Phlox, Delphiniums, Gaillardia, Coreopsis and Pyrethrum. Early May to divide Chrysanthemums. July for Tall Bearded Irises. August for Primroses. September for Peonies.

While the Japanese beetle is still with us there will be very little satisfaction with hybrid tea roses, beautiful as they are. Some ardent rosarians continue to nurse them, cutting the buds before they open to save them from the beetle. Climbing roses are about over before the beetle arrives in late June and the same applies to hybrid perpetual or June roses. These give us all their flowers in June and then stop—occasionally flowering in October. When buying roses for spring planting, get pot grown plants, and get budded stock—not own root roses. Dormant plants, without soil, are quite satisfactory for November planting but for spring planting use potted plants for early flowers.

The Japanese beetle has a fondness for fine grasses such as the bent grasses used on golf putting greens. Lawns of bent grass are beautiful when regularly fed and yearly top-dressed—and then grub-proofed against the beetle. To fool the beetle and have a permanent lawn sow clover seed. The beetle does not fancy the roots of clover. Kentucky blue is probably the best companion for clover, rather slow to get established, but thrives under the same conditions as clover.

The little early spring bulbs are surely a joy. They alone are enough excuse for a rock garden or a primrose path under the partial shade of trees. First the Winter Aconite (Eranthis Hyemalis), then the bluest of blues in Scilla Siberica. Next the clear blue and white of Chionodoxa Sardanensis and Lucillea to be followed by Muscari Heavenly Blue (Grape Hyacinths). The species crocus varieties such as Sieberi, Tommasinianus and Imperati belong in the rock garden, while the large yellow, white and purple are

coarse in comparison. The very early Snowdrop (Galanthus nivalis) is probably planted more for its earliness than its beauty. These little jewel bulbs are all hardy, will multiply in light soil and are available for fall planting.

The severe drought of last year probably injured trees more than shallow-rooted plants. The trees were compelled to draw on their reserve to survive the lack of available liquid nourishment and the effect will be noticeable during the coming season. Many trees were also partially defoliated by the work of the Japanese beetle. Weakened trees are more susceptible to attacks of insects and diseases but they can be helped to health by feeding with a real tree food properly applied.

## Shrubs and Their Planting

By W. O. HIRD  
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Shrubs are one of the most important features of the home grounds. They may be used for foundation-planting, for screening unsightly places, for corner-planting, as specimen plants in the lawn or the border and as an effective background. They can also be used for dividing or boundary plantings. Shrubs are an important feature in the decoration of the home grounds and, with the possible exception of trees, no other class of plants adds more to the value of the home. Shrubs are of the easiest culture, requiring little care, having few insect enemies, and lasting a lifetime if planted properly. Early spring planting, when the plants are dormant, is recommended. The ground should be prepared by incorporating a liberal quantity of well-decayed stable manure. This is important as the plants are to remain in their position indefinitely. Set the plants well down and trim off all broken and damaged roots before planting, giving a thorough soaking to fill up any air spaces at the roots. The choice of varieties is up to the individual, there being a large number of varieties from which to select.

For foundation planting the dwarfier varieties should be selected. These include Deutzia, Forsythia and Japanese Snowball for the background and Berberis, Daphne, Spiraea and the dwarf-growing evergreens for the front. For general display the earliest to bloom is the Forsythia or Weeping Bell, the golden-yellow flowers making a fine display. Flowering Almond, Lilac and the Japan Quince are also early blooming. Deutzia, Lonicera, Spiraea, Japan Snowball, Hydrangea, Philadelphus or Mock Orange, Kerria, Buddleia or Butterfly Bush, Callicarpa or Beauty Berry, Clethra or Pepper Bush, the old-fashioned Sweet Shrub and the Hydrangea Paniculata are among the choicest of the summer and fall shrubs.

Among the recently-introduced varieties is the new Beauty Bush, a native of China, which produces a mass of light pink, bell-shaped flowers resembling the Wegelia and Honeysuckle. This shrub grows six to eight feet tall and is considered one of the best. The Korean Spiraea is also new and produces large clusters of white flowers, while the Vitex Macrophila is a handsome, low-growing variety with long racemes of lavender-blue flowers, blooming from July until frost.

## Small Gardens Have

### Need for Design

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#### Be Fair to Plants!

"The proper choice of plants is most important, for good plants put in the wrong place are not only a waste of money, but unfair to the plant.

"The use of wrong materials or the placing of things in awkward or inconvenient situations is uneconomical. For they must be replaced, or altered, or not used because of inconvenience. It is part of esthetic concept that function and form are related. Charles Eliot states that 'What would be fair, must first be fit.'

"Design or analysis of a problem discloses the proper materials for a purpose or situation which is economy. Materials (plant or architectural) are not beautiful because they are expensive nor because they are novel or theatrical in form or color. They are beautiful when they perform their part of the design logically and truthfully."

Lastly, considering the cost of upkeep of the small place, Mr. Schrepper considers this very important. He says, "Lawn, trees, shrubs, flowers, benches, fountains, etc., must not require attention out of proportion to the part they play in the general scheme. The exception would be where the owner has an especial thing for one thing—a hobby."

Summing up, the lecturer said the following were the essentials in designing the small garden:

"Unity—Everything must look as though it belongs exactly where it is, and the whole place must have the appearance of a single unit.

"Scale—On proportions, this is very important in small places. Things too large make a place seem small. Hence the small house with a huge hydrangea bush growing in front and close to it looks out of all proportion, and the charm of both are lost. The too small planting, however, would appear to be 'miniatures.'

"Style—We are developing one of our own. It is stupid and ugly to try for 'French, Spanish,' or other effects. Better to modify these styles to suit the conditions we have to meet.

"Enclosure—Privacy is an essential part of the garden concept. Choice of wall, fence, lattice or hedge depends upon circumstances."

#### At Easter Tide

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## Financial Statement

Charter No. 12595 Res. Dis. No. 3  
Report of condition of the Narberth National Bank of Narberth in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business on March 25, 1931:

| RESOURCES                                |              |
|------------------------------------------|--------------|
| Loans and discounts                      | \$293,495.44 |
| Other bonds, stocks and securities owned | 234,375.00   |
| Banking house                            | \$45,180.60  |
| Furniture and fixtures                   | 12,900.00    |
|                                          | 58,080.60    |
| Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank        | 24,503.00    |
| Cash and due from banks                  | 24,756.90    |
| Outside checks and other cash items      | 41.72        |

| LIABILITIES                                                        |              |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| Capital stock paid in                                              | \$50,000.00  |
| Surplus                                                            | 25,000.00    |
| Undivided profits—net                                              | 5,084.89     |
| Reserves for dividends, contingencies, etc.                        | 5,800.00     |
| Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding | 2,313.61     |
| Demand deposits                                                    | 190,114.17   |
| Time deposits                                                      | 336,927.61   |
| Bills payable and rediscounts                                      | 20,000.00    |
| Other liabilities                                                  | 12.38        |
|                                                                    | \$635,252.66 |

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I, J. L. McCrery, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. L. McCrery, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of March, 1931.

J. BAIRD CALDWELL, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:  
EDWIN P. DOLD,  
CHARLES E. KREMER,  
W. R. PARKER, Directors.

## Christian Endeavor Notes

Our Easter message to the young people of Narberth is: "The lily is an Easter flower. It suggests beauty rising out of ugliness. No one looking at the bulb could ever prophesy the lily. God has wonderful beauty awaiting us. He promised to take us to be with Him where He is, and Jesus makes good."

Our C. E. topic for Sunday will be Easter messages in literature. Come and discuss such phrases as a message of sorrow, the vision beautiful, "There Is No Death" Sunday, Narberth Presbyterian Church, 6:45 P. M. Bring your friends.

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**Rates**—10 cents a line in each paper; 25 cents a line in all three. Minimum charge, 35c in one paper; 75 cents in all three average of five words to the line. No blackfaced type used.

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Phone Your Ads to ARDMORE 3100

## Wanted

GARAGE space wanted for one car; must be near Narberth School. Write L. J., care of Our Town. (o4-3)

WOULD like Contract Bridge and Backgammon lessons. Phone Narberth 4147. (o4-3)

## For Sale

DEATH in family necessitates immediate disposal of new Ford tan sedan, 1930 model, perfect condition. Phone Narb. 2712-W. (o4-3)

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DRESSMAKING by the day. Evening gowns and stouts a specialty. Best Main Line references. Phone Evergreen 9679 after 5 P. M. (omb-3-30f)

DRESSMAKING and alterations in your home or mine. Mrs. M. Redlich. Phone Narberth 2365-W. (o4-3)

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## Help Wanted

WHITE GIRL, as mother's helper, half day, mornings or afternoons, \$5 per week. Ph. Merion 1817. (omb4-3f)

WOMAN for general housework and cooking; hours, 10 to 4. Small family, two adults, one child. No laundry or Sunday work. \$5.00; must live ten cents carfare range. Phone Narberth 3805-M. (omb4-3f)

GIRL to do general housework and cooking, no laundry. Refs. Sleep in. Phone Greenwood 6156. 107 Lodges Lane, Cyn. (omb3-27f)

WANTED—Young girl, willing to be trained as chambermaid and waitress. Small family, moderate salary. For further information write Box 425, Devon. (omb3-27-f)

## Situations Wanted

CAPABLE woman will care for children days or evenings. Ph. Narberth 3834-W. (omb3-27)

STENOGRAPHER—Three years' experience, high school graduate. Ph. Narberth 2361. (omb4-3f)

MAN & WIFE wish work together; colored, refined, intelligent and experienced. Cooking, general housework or outside work. Phone Ardmore 1119-R. (omb3-27f)

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## IN MEMORIAM

In loving remembrance of my former neighbor and friend, Lillian Simmons Townsend, who passed into rest March 31, 1923.

"Sunrise—and you have crossed the great divide to an unseen day of peace and rest." Mrs. John B. Brooks.

## THE FIRESIDE

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she was giving in her honor on Saturday until Saturday, April 18.

Mrs. Ernest A. Hughes, of Cedar Lane, Merion, entertained at luncheon and bridge last Wednesday. Those who were present were Mrs. Charles Dillingham, Mrs. Raymond Peck, Mrs. Samuel K. White, Mrs. J. H. Roberts, Mrs. Walter Shaw, Mrs. Harold I. Short, Mrs. J. H. Shuff, Mrs. Bradford Troutman, Mrs. Rollin Touhill, Mrs. Linden Lester and Mrs. J. H. Moller.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hoerle, of Wynnedale Avenue, spent last weekend at the Chalfonte-Haddon Hall in Atlantic City.

Miss Helen Aiken, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Aiken, of Essex Avenue, will entertain at luncheon and bridge on Saturday, April 11. The guests will be Miss Shirley Putnam, Miss Jane Jackson, Miss Dorothy Price, Miss Mary McNichol, Miss Ruth Berger and Miss Virginia Young.

Mrs. W. Russell Green, of Woodbine Avenue, attended a luncheon on Saturday given by Mrs. Paul Murphy in honor of Miss Molly L. Flynn, of Swarthmore, newly appointed director of adult education for the Virgin Islands. Miss Flynn sailed on Thursday from New York City.

Miss Kitty Trudell Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Green, attended a luncheon Tuesday in Philadelphia given in honor of Miss Flynn and accompanied her to New York, where Miss Green will spend her spring vacation as the guest of Miss Barbara Newman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Somers Newman, of Windsor Towers.

Mrs. Le Grande Ball, of Bowman and Narberth Avenues, gave a party on Saturday in honor of her son, La Grande, Jr., to celebrate his seventh birthday. Present were Nancy Schelegelm, Janet Campbell, Barbara Smedley, Virginia Durbin, Dorothy Wickham, Mary Dunlap, Beulah Buck, George Grow, David Wickham, Daniel Wickham, Gordon Warner, Warren Vincent, Leigh Woehling, Ben Yarnall and Bobby Rittenhouse. The kiddies were entertained by a delightful Punch and Judy show and other games.

Miss Betty Swing, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. Hamill Swing, of Bryn Mawr, is home from Goucher College, Baltimore, and is spending the spring vacation with her parents.

Miss Swing gave a luncheon and shower on Wednesday in honor of Miss Dorothy Vanderbeck, of Cynwyd, whose engagement to Mr. Ned Wilcox has been announced. The guests were Miss Frances Roberts, of Germantown; Miss Hope Burlingame, of Bryn Mawr; Miss Dorothy Russell, of Cynwyd; Miss Virginia Chewing, of Cynwyd; Miss Polly Palmquist and Miss Margaret Saul.

Among those who attended the card party at the Hannah Penn House in Philadelphia on Tuesday afternoon were Mrs. John B. Williams, Mrs. Fletcher Stites, Mrs. E. H. Cockrill, Mrs. Lloyd B. Edgerton, Mrs. R. J. Bennett, Miss Garth Boericke and Mrs. Eberhardt Mueller.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fredericks, of Haverford Avenue, who have been traveling in the Southwest, are now in Phoenix, Ariz.

Mr. Charles Wafer and Mr. George Smiley, of Narberth, will visit Mr. Wafer's parents in Ventnor, N. J., this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Casperson Read, of 5108 Chester Avenue, Philadelphia, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Margaret Dexter Read, and Mr. John Armand Lafore, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Armand Lafore, of Penn Valley Farm, Penn Valley. Miss Read is a graduate of Swarthmore College, Class of 1930, and a member of the Kappa Gamma Sorority. Mr. Lafore graduated from Montgomery School, Wynnewood, in 1923. He attended Swarthmore College and the University of Pennsylvania and is a member of the Delta Upsilon Fraternity. He is an ensign in the United States Naval Reserve.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Taylor, who have

## Engaged



MARGARET DEXTER READ

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Casperson Read, of Philadelphia, whose engagement to Mr. John Armand Lafore, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Armand Lafore, of Penn Valley Farm, Penn Valley, has been announced. Miss Read graduated from Swarthmore, class of 1930, and is a member of the Kappa Gamma Sorority. Mr. Lafore attended Swarthmore College and the University of Pennsylvania. He is a member of the Delta Upsilon and is an ensign in the Naval Reserve.

been spending the winter at St. Petersburg, Fla., will return to their home on Hampden Avenue the latter part of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Darlington are stopping en route at Orange City, Fla., where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hubbert, formerly of Narberth.

Miss Rosalie Shaw, daughter of Commander and Mrs. Charles H. Shaw, of Avon Road, had as her guest over the week-end her classmate, Miss Harriet Scott Bruen, of Belvidere, N. J. Miss Shaw and her guest returned to Mount Holyoke College on Monday.

Miss Virginia Louise Means, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Means, of Wynnewood, entertained at a card party on Friday evening. The guests included Miss Louise Parvin Carwithen, Miss Nona Carwithen and the guest of the Misses Carwithen, Miss Mary Dayton Collings; Miss Marguerite H. Timberlake, Miss Ella D. Timberlake, Miss Leonore Mulkin, Mr. Richard B. Vallency, Mr. Morice G. Carroll, Mr. Howard Towers, Mr. Joseph Hughes, Mr. Hutton Hughes, Mr. Frank Brunner, Mr. George J. Chase, Jr., and Mr. Randolph Fox.

Miss Nancy Jane Mackenzie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mackenzie, of Narbrook Park, was given a luncheon last Saturday to celebrate her eleventh birthday. Those present were Jane Nash, Mary Alice Krauskop, Betty Nold, Jane Chillas, Julia Hess, Ruth Wohler, Phyllis Johnson, of Merion; Muriel Dougherty, of Merion; Alice and Ann Haydock, of Cynwyd, and Betty McConnell.

### Interesting Meeting Planned By Foreign Mission Society

A very interesting meeting of the Woman's Foreign Mission Society of the Narberth Methodist Episcopal Church will be held in the church parlor on Monday at 2:30 P. M.

The devotions will be in charge of Mrs. Musser Moore. The program leader is Mrs. H. M. Chalfant, and a reading will be given by Miss Ruth Lebo. There was a large attendance at the last meeting. Come and bring a friend and have a record attendance. The hostesses will be Mrs. Samuel MacAdams and Mrs. Musser Moore.

Monday, April 6, is Army Day, the fourteenth anniversary of America's entrance in the World War.



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